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Contractual Negotiations with Small Energy Sources Study.

1. A requirement exists for the study and development of new types of energy sources for powering agent communications equipment.

2. Technical conferences with representatives of and Government engineers have resulted in the submittel of a proposal for a Small Energy Sources Study, G. D. File RAR-1/717-B, Attachment (1), which leads to the development of the type of equipment required. This proposal has been reviewed and is acceptable to this Office. Cost quotations for the execution of this work are contained in a letter from General Electric, dated 6 February 1956, Subject: Small Energy Sources Study, G. H. File HAR-4717-B, which is enclosed as Attachment (2). Although the quotation expires 6 March 1956, we understand that a reasonable extension is agreeable to General Electric.

3. It is requested that egreement be made with the General Electric Company accepting the proposed study program as a task order. Requisition No. MEB 56-311 Indicating the availability of \$66,468.17 from Allotment No. 6-7995-50 is attached for this purpose.

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